

GOOD ROAD MOVE
PROVES POPULAR

Farmers Are Interested in Commercial Club Plan and Are Ready to Cooperate.

PRESENT METHODS CONDEMNED

County Could Have Good Highways at Less Expense If Proper Attention Was Given.

Since the Commercial Club decided to take up the good roads proposition, a great many people have been discussing the condition of the roads and nearly everybody who travels about over the county very much, agrees that Jackson county could have "good highways if the proper attention was given."

The farmers are interested in the good roads move more than anyone else, for upon some of the highways at the present time they find it difficult to haul heavy loads with any degree of satisfaction. Many of the principal roads in the county are rough and full of holes and very little work has been done to improve them for several years. The old rule, "a stitch in time saves nine" applies to the road repairs, for if a highway is given proper attention as soon as it becomes a little rough and the holes filled as soon as they appear, the maintenance expense will be much less and the roads can be kept in much better condition with a smaller amount of work.

A well known farmer was in the city a few days ago and stated that he would cooperate with any move which would result in improved highways and felt assured that his neighbors would also give any assistance they could. He said that the road in front of his farm was one of the principal highways of the county, and while it has been in very bad repair for sometime no work has been done upon it for some time so far as he knew although he had watched closely.

He further stated that the last work upon the road had been a decided detriment instead of a benefit for the scraper was used and the surface of the road was scraped off and thrown into the ditch. He pointed out that the roads could never be kept in good condition so long as this method was used, for each time that the road grader was used more of the gravel was taken from the bed and it was just a question of time until the foundation would be entirely scraped away.

Like many other farmers in the county who have given some attention to road construction, he was of the opinion that the best results could only be obtained when the drag was used upon the road and the gravel thrown to the center rather than towards the ditches along either side.

Another man, who is acquainted with the deplorable condition of the Jackson county roads, said that he is in favor of the Commercial Club appointing a road's committee, but said that with the card system it would be very little trouble to designate the bad roads for it would just take one card for each road. He said

that most of the roads were either one long rut or one big hole.

There have also been many complaints made regarding the approaches to the bridges. With a few very exceptions, there is a drop of from three to five inches from the floor of the bridge to the roadway.

With the amount of money that Jackson county had expended upon her roads, there is no reason why the highways should not be in as good a condition as other counties in the state where no greater sum, and in several instances a smaller amount is expended annually upon each mile of the county highway.

The president of the Commercial Club has not yet appointed a good roads committee but will probably do so in a very short time. Some system will then be adopted and recommendations will be made to the county commissioners for their consideration.

VETERINARY SURGEONS OF
THIS COUNTY FORM SOCIETY

Object of the Organization is For the Protection of the Members.

The veterinary surgeons of Jackson county and the immediately adjoining territory have formed an association known as the Jackson County Veterinary Protective Society.

The object of the organization is to protect its members and none of the surgeons will call upon people who have refused to pay their bills with other surgeons for previous work. The association has also adopted a uniform scale of prices and the same rate will be charged by all the surgeons belonging to the society.

The officers elected are: President.....Charles Murray Vice-President.....Elmer Kestner Secretary.....D. L. Lett Treasurer.....H. F. Brown

The other members are, Drs. Al Titus of Reddington; Guy Bard of Crothersville; A. Kyse of Medora; R. O. Sutton of Kurtz; L. Huff of Scottsburg and Will Hopkins of Paris Crossing.

The two local interurban lines handled 2,300 crates of blackberries and raspberries Saturday night, the shipment coming from New Albany and billed to Indianapolis. Many of the crates will be shipped from Indianapolis to the Eastern markets. The raspberry season in Floyd county, which has been unusually good, is about over and the shipment contained the finest cultivated berries from that county.

The annual camp meeting is now in progress at the city park. This meeting comes to the city yearly and is held under the auspices of the Jackson County Holiness Association. It is strictly undenominational. The singing is in charge of Rev. and Mrs. M. T. Brandyberry of the Nazarene church. Yesterday was a great day, the tent which is larger than in former years was packed to its utmost.

The annual conference of the Seymour district of the M. E. church convened at Scottsburg this afternoon. The conference will remain in session until Wednesday. At the opening session today Dr. F. M. Steele, superintendent of the district will administer the sacrament and this evening Dr. D. L. Thomas, pastor of the local M. E. church will deliver a sermon.

Home Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Nora Wheaton on East 3rd street Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. All visitors welcome.

GEE! WE FEEL SORRY FOR THE TEACHERS



The Fifth Annual Convention of the National Education Society Opens To-day.

TWO STRANGERS DISAPPEAR
AND LEAVE A BOARD BILL

Claimed They Were Representing an Eastern Insurance Company—Went to Crothersville.

Two strangers, who represented that they were agents for an eastern Insurance Company, left the city suddenly early this morning without settling their board bill at a local boarding house. The men came here about a week ago but did not register, and during the time they were here failed to give their names to the owner of the boarding house or any of the boarders.

The proprietor of the boarding house notified the police this morning that the men had disappeared and Chief Abell, after an investigation, found that the two strangers had purchased tickets to Crothersville and that they were met at that station by a third party and driven into the country. It is not known in what direction they went and their exact whereabouts are not known.

During the time the men were here they did very little, if any, insurance business, and some people who talked with them questioned if they were the authorized representatives of the company.

Sunday School Reports.

	Att.	Col.
Methodist	185	\$ 5.26
Baptist	193	4.48
Presbyterian	56	2.09
Christian	98	12.28
Nazarene	75	5.11
Woodstock	63	1.43
German M. E.	115	1.90
Totals	785	\$32.55

E. J. Massman of Chicago, was here Sunday and spent the day at Peter's cabin with the camping party.

Clean-up Sale now going on at P. Colabuono's Shoe Store. dtf

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NEW PIPE ORGAN IS
ALMOST FINISHED

Handsome New Instrument Being Installed in the St. Paul Church at Cost of \$1800.

WILL BE DEDICATED SUNDAY

Liberal Donation From Andrew Carnegie Aided Congregation in The Purchase.

The handsome new pipe organ, which is being installed in the St. Paul church, will be completed by the middle of the week and will be dedicated next Sunday. Special services will be held Sunday morning, and a musicale will be given a night by Prof. F. L. Saeger, instructor of music at the Eden Theological Seminary at St. Louis.

This is the fourth organ to be installed in the local churches, the other three being in use at the German Lutheran, Catholic and Presbyterian churches.

The organ, which is being built in the St. Paul church, is a fine instrument having cost approximately \$1,800. It is sixteen feet high, fourteen feet long and eight feet deep and is being built in an alcove back of the pulpit. In order to accommodate the new organ, it was necessary to build the alcove, using a portion of a hallway which was formerly a part of the parsonage.

The organ is finished in quartered oak and has 704 pipes. It is also equipped with two manuals and seventeen stops with thirty notes on the pedal. The pipes are made of a

special composition of lead and tin which gives the notes a very clear sound and eliminates all metallic effect which is frequently heard on organs of this character.

The power will be furnished by an electric motor. The large front pipes are finished in plain gold striped with tiny blue lines. The organ was purchased from Kilgen & Co., of St. Louis and is being installed under the direction of C. W. Pollert.

The installation of the instrument is due very largely to the efforts of the pastor, Rev. H. R. Boech. Some time ago he wrote to Andrew Carnegie regarding a donation upon the instrument and after some correspondence, Mr. Carnegie agreed to contribute \$825. At the time this donation was given that amount was one half of the cost of the organ, but later some improvements have been added which increased the cost several hundred dollars. The difference between the price of the organ and the amount contributed by Mr. Carnegie will be made up by a contribution from the members of the congregation.

The Rev. Mr. Boech has had a most successful pastorate since he was called to the St. Paul church two years ago. During that time fifty-two new members have been added and over \$6,000 has been expended for improvements including the purchase of a modern parsonage on Sixth street, and a number of permanent improvements at the church building.

Class Meeting.

Mrs. Carter's Sunday School class of the First Baptist church, will meet this week on Wednesday instead of Tuesday, with Mrs. Arthur P. Carter, West Fourth street. Please note the change in date. j9d

Misses Laura and Alma Massman, Anton Massman and Mr. Murray, of Cincinnati, who have been visiting here and attending the cabin party at Peter's cabin for several days, have returned home.

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G. O. P. LEADERS
TO NAME CHAIRMAN

Subcommittee of Republican National Committee Are in Session at Washington.

PRESIDENT TAFT IS CONFIDENT

After Viewing The Political Situation Feels Assured That He Will Be Elected.

Washington, July 8.—When the subcommittee of nine members of the Republican national committee met early today, prior to a conference with President Taft to select a national chairman and campaign manager, it was the belief of many that a selection might not be made until tomorrow. The first meeting of the subcommittee was called for 10 a. m., to be followed by a luncheon at the White House shortly after noon and by a reception this evening.

Harry M. Daugherty of Ohio, whom the President is said to favor for the place very strongly, arrived today. So did Arthur I. Vody and Al Morrill, both also of Ohio. Frank L. Smith, of Springfield, Ill.; Dan Campbell, postmaster of Chicago, and John Wesley Hill, of New York, were among the other arrivals.

It was said that that Representative William B. McKinley, who conducted the President's pre-convention campaign, as director of the national Taft bureau, would take the national chairmanship if Mr. Taft and the committee wanted him. Up to a short time ago Mr. McKinley had rejected the suggestion that he take the place, because, as he put it, he thought he had made one part of the fight successfully and some one else ought to make the other.

William Barnes, Jr., New York state chairman, was still being considered for the place. Some of Mr. Barnes's friends declared he could not take the national chairmanship because of the heavy work connected with the campaign in his own state, but others said the national chairmanship would not be unwelcome to him. James Goodrich of Indiana was mentioned.

The first of the real work of making a selection was expected to begin at the President's luncheon shortly after noon, at which a full canvass of the situation was to be made. Many of the committee seemed certain today that Charles D. Hiles, the President's secretary, would not be named for the place.

One interesting fact stands out in connection with the mixed political situation of the day, and it is that President Taft is supremely confident that he will be re-elected.

Harry Baxter Dead.

Harry, the six months old son of Mr. and Mrs. David Baxter died Saturday afternoon at the home of his grandfather, William Ritter on West Brown street. The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. F. M. Huckleberry. Burial at city cemetery.

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WAVE OF HORROR FOLLOWS REPORT

Inhumanity of a British Rubber Company.

EXPLOITATION OF INDIANS

Deeds Reported as Having Been Perpetrated in the Peruvian Rubber Districts Out of Sheer Greed Equal in Atrocity Any That Were Ever Reported in the Congo Even When Exploitation There Was Worst.

Washington, July 8.—Officials here confidently expect beneficial results from the publication of the details of the official investigators' report on the atrocities against the Indians in the Peruvian rubber districts. While officials of the state department are inclined to be sympathetic with Peru in her present plight, especially as that government is now trying to remedy a situation admittedly intolerable, it is believed that publicity will prove a good thing. For some time the state department was opposed to Peru being branded with the story of the Putumayo atrocities until that government had at least been given an opportunity to make amends. Now that Peru has shown a disposition to work reforms in the rubber districts, it is believed here that the government will be accelerated in its course by the publication of the facts to the world.

The United States government will be prepared, it is understood, to render any aid that may be desired by Peru. Thus far, however, Peru has declared that she can exert her authority in the rubber districts and put an end to the alleged cruelties practiced upon the Indians by the agents of the British company which has the rubber concession.

The strongest possible measures will be favored by this government and use of such measures undoubtedly will be urged upon Peru. Now that the whole matter has become public through the official report, it is believed that Peru will move more rapidly and that pressure from Great Britain through the United States possibly will increase. Opinion here is that Peru should send soldiers into the rubber districts with officers in command authorized to use any means necessary for putting a stop to the exploitation and butcheries of the Indians by the rubber factors, whose deeds as disclosed in the official report have been on a par with the worst atrocities ever reported from the Congo.

The Peruvian legation here is closed for the summer and Minister Pardo is absent in Peru. Further developments are expected here when news of the publication of the report reaches the Peruvian government at Lima.

SHOCKING MURDER

Forty-One Stab Wounds Found on the Body of Little Girl.

New York, July 8.—Julia Connors, a little girl who disappeared in daylight from one of the most crowded streets in the Bronx last Saturday, was found yesterday on an ash heap in a vacant lot half a block from her home at 3872 Third avenue, naked, covered with stab wounds and dying.

Her life went out while men bent over her trying desperately to revive the child long enough for her to name or describe the man who had maltreated her so brutally. A few hours later the detectives found the vacant house into which Julia had been enticed and the apartment in which she had been battered with fists and gashed with a knife until her frail body was a mass of bruises and a network of cuts. Jefferson Kelly, fifty-one years old, was placed under arrest. He was discovered in the Crotona park woods, opposite where the body of the girl was found. His coat collar was turned up and when the detectives opened the coat they found he had no shirt on. There were bloodstains on his vest and coat.

To Protect Summer Boarders.

Indianapolis, July 8.—The state board of health will inspect all summer resorts and those scoring less than 80 per cent on the sanitary scale will be closed up as dangerous to the public health. The scoring will be based upon general cleanliness, sewage and garbage disposal, water supply, presence of flies, mosquitoes, bedbugs and rats, quality and handling of the food supply.

WEATHER EVERYWHERE

Observations of United States weather bureaus taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follow:

	Temp.	Weather.
New York.....	70	Clear
Boston.....	80	Clear
Denver.....	58	Cloudy
San Francisco..	50	Clear
St. Paul.....	66	Clear
Chicago.....	72	Cloudy
Indianapolis...	78	Cloudy
St. Louis.....	80	Pt. Cloudy
New Orleans...	80	Rain
Washington...	82	Clear

Probably fair.

SCENE AT WRECK

Rear of Smashed Train, Taken Shortly After the Disaster.



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This general view of the wrecked excursion train gives an idea of the awful impact which crushed out so many lives and wounded so many others when an express train on the Lackawanna hit the waiting train near Corning, N. Y.

FATAL COLLISION ON M. & B. TRACTION LINE

Four Killed and Thirty-Two Injured.

Marion, Ind., July 8.—When an interurban car on the Marion & Bluffton traction line came in collision Sunday afternoon with a city car loaded with passengers, near this city, three persons were killed and thirty-two more or less seriously injured.

The dead are William Lentz of Marion, glassworker; George Dolkouf of Upland, musician and school teacher; Benjamin C. Silvers of Marion National Military Home; Garrett Vanweely, Marion, postman, died in hospital.

The collision occurred on a straight track at a point midway between the city and Goldthwaite park. No satisfactory explanation of the accident has been made. The park car had just passed a switch when the collision came. The two cars were running at rapid speed and, according to passengers, the car from Bluffton was going at unusually high speed. When the crash came they were telescoped, the regular interurban sweeping the park car one-third of its distance.

CONVENTION CITY

Reputation of Indianapolis in This Direction Growing.

Indianapolis, July 8.—Twenty-five thousand persons from all parts of the country attended ninety-two conventions held in Indianapolis in the last six months, according to statistics compiled by L. H. Lewis, head of the convention and publicity bureau of the Commercial club. The average time that each convention was in session was three days, and it is estimated that each person spent between \$5 and \$6 a day while in the city. The bureau has issued invitations to seventy-five associations to hold their next sessions in Indianapolis.

Lorimer's Seat in Balance.

Washington, July 8.—William Lorimer, United States senator from Illinois, probably will be unelected by his colleagues before the end of this week. The case is before the senate as the pending business and will continue to the exclusion of all other business until disposed of.

TERSE TELEGRAMS

The existence of bubonic plague in Havana has been definitely determined.

Claude Grahame-White, the aviator, Sunday crossed the British channel in a Farman waterplane.

All in Washington appear to agree that final adjournment of congress cannot be taken before the middle of August.

The rotten boards of a dock at Rockaway Beach gave way while fifty persons were crowding each other to board a launch, and three of the fifty that fell into the water were drowned.

Seven men were killed in a riot between members of the timber workers' union and non-union men at the sawmill town of Graybow, in southwest Louisiana.

The Fall River line steamship Commonwealth rammed the battleship New Hampshire in Narragansett bay, inflicting damages to both that will necessitate their going to drydock. Luckily there were no casualties.

Dispatches from the capitals of Central America announce the launching of a plan to consolidate all railroads on the west coast of the Central American states, with a view to controlling a large part of the trade that is to materialize with the opening of the Panama canal.

BEATING BUSHES FOR A CHAIRMAN

Who Is to Head the New Taft Committee?

MANY NAMES ARE MENTIONED

Just After the Convention Adjourned It Was Thought That the President's Secretary Would Be Named For This Position, but Party Leaders Now Seem to Believe Mr. Hillis Will Not Be Named.

Washington, July 8.—At a series of conferences beginning at the White House today plans for the conduct of the Taft campaign this summer and fall will be discussed and probably perfected.

When the Chicago convention adjourned Republican leaders left there for their homes convinced that Charles D. Hillis of New York, secretary to the president, would be the new chairman of the national committee. At that time there seemed to be no opposition to his selection. Party leaders in Washington now seem to believe Mr. Hillis will not be named.

That William Barnes, jr., of New York, is favored by many of the leaders in Washington, is indicated in hotel corridor gossip today. Everybody seems to agree that Mr. Barnes is in every way qualified to direct a national campaign. In addition to Messrs. Barnes and Hillis, the following named Republicans are regarded as particularly available for the national chairmanship. Harry S. New, Joseph B. Keating, former Senator James Hemenway and James P. Goodrich of Indiana; Harry Daugherty of Ohio; Senator Newell Sanders of Tennessee; F. W. Estabrook of New Hampshire. Among the party leaders here sentiment has not crystallized around any particular man for the national chairmanship.

Just what part President Taft shall take in the campaign has not been determined. It is the purpose of the Republican leaders to conduct an aggressive campaign, but everybody seems to agree that it is going to be difficult to raise campaign funds this year.

COULDN'T SURVIVE

Operation Powerless to Stay Mrs. Decker's Fatal Illness.

San Francisco, July 8.—Mrs. Sarah Platt Decker, former head of the Federation of Women's Clubs, who was stricken with a dangerous illness a week ago Friday, while attending the



MRS. DECKER.

federation meeting here, died at 8:30 Sunday night. She had been told that she had Bright's disease, but the surgeons here diagnosed her complaint as gallstones. She underwent an operation on July 5 and was reported to be much improved late that night.

The following day Mrs. Decker began to show symptoms of intestinal paralysis, and Saturday night her condition gradually became critical. She sank very low at midnight, but rallied and lived until last evening.

Train Had Close Call.

Marion, Ind., July 8.—The engine of a Clover Leaf passenger train jumped the track within a few feet of an open bridge in this city, but none of the several dozen passengers aboard was injured. Why the engine left the track could not be ascertained. Had the train been moving rapidly it is believed it would have plunged into the river.

An Indiana Centenarian Dead.

South Bend, Ind., July 8.—Mrs. Mary Lisek is dead at the age of 103 years. She was the oldest woman in northern Indiana. She came here at the age of seventy-eight from Germany. She is survived by eighteen grandchildren and twenty-eight great-grandchildren.

Twenty-Six Now Dead.

Ligonier, Pa., July 8.—Twenty-six dead and thirty injured are the revised figures of the casualties resulting from the wreck Friday of a freight train and a passenger train of the Ligonier Valley railroad near here. Two of the injured probably will die.

WRECKED ENGINE

What Happened to Front of the Locomotive That Smashed Train.



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This cut shows how the locomotive of the Lackawanna express was dented in after it smashed into the waiting excursion train near Corning, N. Y.

YANKEELAND SCORES IN OLYMPIC GAMES

Gratifying Results Noted at Stockholm.

Stockholm, July 8.—At the finish of the 100-meter race three American runners flashed over the line, beating the only foreign competitor and placing the United States in the lead of all nations in the Olympic games of 1912. With the exception of the javelin throw won by the Swedes, this was the first final decided. Ralph C. Craig of Detroit, Alvah T. Meyer of the Irish-American A. C., and Donald F. Lippincott of the University of Pennsylvania were the men to finish in the order named and thus place all the points to the credit of America.

One other event also was won by an American, the Carlisle Indian, James Thorpe. He came out with flying colors in the Pentathlon, winning with only nine points scored against him. F. R. Ble of Norway was second and another American, James J. Donahue of Los Angeles, third.

In the events in which trials or semi-finals were held, the representatives of the United States performed as creditably as they did on opening day and qualified so many men that the chances for other nations to score heavily are very slim. In the running high jump, six of the eleven men who qualified for the final were Americans, England getting two of the remaining places and Sweden, Finland and Hungary the others. In the semi-finals of the 800 meters America also came through with flying colors, of the eight chosen America supplying six. In the trials for the 10,000 meters only two Americans qualified.

AUGUST 6

This is the Date For the Convention of the New Roosevelt Party.

New York, July 8.—Colonel Roosevelt's third party convention will be held in Chicago on Aug. 5. The call for it, signed by leaders of forty states and addressed to "the people of the United States without regard to past political differences," was issued through Senator Joseph M. Dixon, campaign manager, in the new national headquarters of the party at the Hotel Manhattan. The party probably will be called the Progressive National party. The convention will decide that.

Senator Dixon has left for Washington. He has been paired in the senate all the time he has been managing Roosevelt's campaign, with Senator Bailey of Texas, but Bailey insisted on being released from the pair to vote in the Lorimer case, and Dixon had to go to Washington. When Lorimer's fate is decided he will go campaigning again.

The method of choosing delegates to the convention will be left to the leaders of the various states and probably they will be chosen in convention. Senator Dixon said that the time is too short for primaries.

Fatally Hurt in Bargain Rush.

Lafayette, Ind., July 8.—As the result of being crushed in a bargain-counter rush at a local 5 and 10-cent store, Mrs. Mary Clemens is dying at her home here. She was pushed against a counter and injured internally. Complications have developed and, as she is well advanced in years, the attending physicians say she can live but a short time.

Lawyers Meet This Week.

South Bend, Ind., July 8.—The Indiana Bar association will meet in South Bend next Wednesday and Thursday. Arrangements have been made to care for many out-of-town attorneys.

CITY WILL TEST MERGER DESIGNS

Evansville Fighting New Public Service Company.

VIOLATION OF ANTI-TRUST LAW

It Is Charged in a Suit For Injunction Brought by the Public Service Committee of the Evansville Council That Not Only Has Franchise Been Violated, but That State Laws Have Been Broken.

Evansville, Ind., July 8.—Attorneys representing the council committee on public service, while stockholders and directors of the three utility companies of Evansville involved in the Evansville public utilities company merger were busy approving the details of consolidation and the transfer of stocks, filed in the superior court a suit to enjoin the completion of the merger. Judge Hostetter granted a temporary restraining order and further hearing is ordered for tomorrow. Representatives of the merged companies deny that an injunction can apply, since the merger is complete, but the city's special counsel are confident of a hearing and final issue in the suit, because, aside from a petition for injunction, the suit asks to have all acts leading up to the consolidation declared void.

The city's suit alleges that the Public Service company, one of the constituent parts of the new corporation, did not observe its franchise in giving the city first option on a purchase of its plant. The suit also declares that the merger is in violation of the Indiana anti-trust law, is contrary to public policy, and is formed without legal authority under any Indiana incorporation statute.

FELL TO DEATH

Was Beating His Way Across Country to Mother's Deathbed.

Lafayette, Ind., July 8.—Edward Fleming, thirty-two years old, of Syracuse, N. Y., who was on his way home to see his mother, who is dying, fell from a Wabash train and was fatally injured. He was beating his way on the passenger train and was perched on top of a coach. The train was running fifty miles an hour when the wind caught Fleming's hat and blew it from his head. He reached for it and lost his balance, falling to the ground and rolling along for several rods after he landed. Fleming was in St. Louis when he received a message that his mother could live but a short time.

GOING AHEAD

Funds Being Raised For Shortest Line Between Indianapolis and Chicago.

Gary, Ind., July 8.—A trust deed to the amount of \$10,000,000 to secure the floating of a bond issue for the construction of the Indianapolis, Chicago & Meridian railroad in favor of the Camden Trust company of Camden, N. J., has been filed in the county recorder's office at Crown Point. Actual construction of the new interurban line between Indianapolis and Chicago has already been started in Gary. The line will be 156 miles in length, the shortest distance between Chicago and the Indiana state capital. Like deeds have been filed in all the counties through which the road will traverse.

Warsaw Electrician Killed.

Warsaw, Ind., July 8.—Claude Melville, aged twenty-seven, an electrician employed by the Winona Interurban company, met instant death while working on an electric light pole at Winona Lake. Two thousand three hundred volts passed through his body.

An "Unavoidable" Accident.

Portland, Ind., July 8.—The death of Dick Wallingsford of this city, who was killed when a skyrocket struck him on the head during the fireworks display here Thursday evening, has been held the result of an unavoidable accident, by Coroner Perry.

Child Fell Into Kettle.

Delphi, Ind., July 8.—Julia Ann Lyons, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lyons, was drowned in a twenty-five-gallon kettle. It is supposed she leaned over the kettle and lost her balance.

Drowned While Swimming.

Anderson, Ind., July 8.—William Pope, aged twenty-three, an employee of the Gospel Trumpet company, was drowned while swimming in an abandoned stone quarry, a mile west of this city.

Girl Drowned in Clear Lake.

South Bend, Ind., July 8.—Miss Lila Miller, aged twenty-one, a telephone girl, was drowned in Clear lake, near this city, while bathing. It is believed death was due to cramps.

Thousands of gallons of lubricating oil contributed to a spectacular blaze at the plant of L. Sonneborn's Sons at Belleville, Ill. The factory was completely destroyed, entailing a loss of more than \$200,000.

WELL PLEASED

William F. McCombs, Who Led Wilson's Forces to Victory.



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Governor Wilson perhaps owes his successful battle for the Democratic nomination to Colonel William F. McCombs more than to any other one man. Colonel McCombs, an energetic young New York lawyer, worked night and day for Wilson and displayed qualities of generalship which won for him the admiration of all.

GOING TO STICK TO THE GOVERNOR'S JOB

Wilson Not Going to Get Far Away From Jersey.

Sea Girt, N. J., July 8.—The Democratic national committee meeting on Aug. 15 will probably not be attended by Governor Woodrow Wilson. Instead he plans at this time to have Robert H. Hudspeth, Democratic national committeeman of New Jersey, go as his personal representative, who will go with power to deliver ultimatums, ukases or any other form of orders which will bring about action along lines desired by the Democratic nominee and new leader of the party. Governor Wilson gives as his reason that he has learned it is not the custom of nominees to attend such meetings.

It was apparent from the governor's talk that he is going to stick as closely as he can to New Jersey and the governor's job this summer. He does not want to lay himself open to the charge of absenteeism. He may not go outside the state until after he has resigned, which will be just about thirty days before the next election, when the Democrats can put up another man.

The nominee is considerably embarrassed over the choosing of the man who is to lead the organized hosts for him this fall. Personally he would like to have William F. McCombs or William G. McAdoo, but he is disposed to defer to the national committee. The governor's embarrassment arises from the fact that all the experienced politicians whom the governor has consulted have told him that the chairman this fall must not only be a good national organizer and executive, but he must have had experience.

Senator John W. Kern of Indiana, who talked with the governor for an hour and a half, said that he had talked over chairmanship, platform, campaign and many other things. Senator Kern said the governor had no plan of campaign in mind. The governor might make a big swing like Bryan, or stay at home like Harrison.

Wants to Sell Big Plant.

Indianapolis, July 8.—A petition asking authority of the court to sell the Atlas engine works and all its property and holdings was filed by Fred C. Gardner, receiver. The receiver's petition sets forth that the debts amount to more than \$1,000,000 and that he believes an early sale will be advantageous to all concerned.

THE NATIONAL GAME

Contests in the Three Big Leagues Noted Here at a Glance.

National League.		R.H.E.
At St. Louis—		
Chicago.....	0 1 2 0 0 0 0 0	3 4 1
St. Louis....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0 10 2
Leifeld, Lavender and Archer; Dale, Salee, Willis and Bresnahan.		
At Cincinnati—		R.H.E.
Brooklyn..	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1	0 1 8 0
Cincinnati	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0	1 2 7 1
Barger and Miller; Benton and Clarke.		

American League.		R.H.E.
At Cleveland—		
St. Louis....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0 7 2
Cleveland...	1 0 0 2 0 1 0 0	4 6 2
Hamilton, Adams and Mitchell; Steele and Livingston.		

American Association.
At Louisville, 4; Columbus, 13. Second game, Columbus, 3; Louisville, 2. At Minneapolis, 6; St. Paul, 1. Second game, St. Paul, 3; Minneapolis, 5. At Indianapolis, 2; Toledo, 7.

Heart to Heart Talks.

By EDWIN A. NYE.

TO MOTHERS.

Tell the mothers not to scold their boys. Never in my life did I say "You shall not" to my children. They were ruled by love and never disappointed me.

Did I not know the woman who said that—and her children—I should believe her given to exaggeration. She is a rare woman.

Why scold the boy?
To be sure, he is noisy and very much in the way sometimes. He comes into the house like a whirlwind, sprawls at tables, teases the cat, makes faces at his sister and is everlastingly in evidence—save when he is asleep. But—

The boy is built for noise. He is bursting with vitality and must have an escape valve. He is making himself fit physically. He is in process of man making.

Do not scold him for what he cannot help.

A noisy, mischievous, forgetful lad is not necessarily a bad boy. Indeed, he is like to be a better boy than your quiet, self centered youth.

But when you scold the noisy, vital kind of kid you stir up in him whatever bad may be in him. It is easy to nag a good natured, hearty boy into sharp retort and rebellion.

There's a better way.

You know him so well, his strong and weak points, know that inside he has a heart as tender as his manner may be boisterous on the outside. He is not callous.

He and his father may easily clash because they are much alike. But you may be sure that under his vest is a big love for his mother.

Now, you have greatly the advantage. And you should be just as careful in handling him as you were careful in handling his father in the old courting days. He is your sweetheart. Treat him as you would a lover.

The mother forgives.

She is tired or has a headache. The boy jangles her nerves. She flares up at him. That rumples him, and his quick temper flares in self defense. It is soon over, and the boy still loves his mother. But the whole episode is a miserable failure.

Punish the lad, of course, when he really needs it—which is seldom. Never whip him if it can be avoided, and usually it can be. And, above all, do not scold or nag him.

Remember, he will not be your boy very long. Soon he will be a bearded man. And you will hold out a mother's empty arms.

A Girl's Wild Midnight Ride.

To warn people of a fearful forest fire in the Catskills a young girl rode horseback at midnight and saved many lives. Her deed was glorious but lives are often saved by Dr. King's New Discovery in curing lung trouble, coughs and colds, which might have ended in consumption or pneumonia. "It cured me of a dreadful cough and lung disease, writes W. R. Patterson, Wellington, Tex., "after four in our family had died with consumption, and I gained 87 pounds." Nothing so sure and safe for all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by The Andrews Drug Co., Seymour, Ind.

Drinking Water With Food.

It is a trifle disconcerting to be told that when the thrifty housewife expends from 20 to 28 cents per pound for the best cuts of beef about 60 per cent of the sum is being paid for water. Yet such is the case, about 60 per cent of the bulk of uncooked beef or mutton being water. . . . The flesh of pigeons is about 70 per cent water, that of fowls and ducks 65 per cent, while a really fat goose may have as little as 38 per cent of water in its composition. The flesh of fish varies considerably in the quantity of water contained, the figures ranging, according to the kinds of fish, from 40 to 80 per cent.—Popular Mechanics.

A Hero in a Lighthouse.

For years J. S. Donahue, So. Haven, Mich., a civil-war captain, as a lighthouse keeper, averted awful wrecks, but a queer fact is, he might have been a wreck himself, if Electric Bitters had not prevented. "They cured me of kidney trouble and chills," he writes, "after I had taken other so called cures for years, without benefit and they also improved my sight. Now, at seventy, I am feeling fine." For dyspepsia, indigestion, all stomach, liver and kidney troubles, they're without equal. Try them. Only 50 cents at The Andrews Drug Co., Seymour, Ind.

Had One Resemblance.

One night, in a Texas town, John McCullough's company was playing "Ingomar," and young Sothorn was to be the leader of the barbarian army. During the day he and his companions-in-arms ransacked the town for fur coverings in which to appear on the stage. They secured some skins which had been imperfectly cured. In the scene where the barbarians rushed on McCullough the tragedian stood aghast and almost forgot his lines. When the curtain fell he turned to the fur-covered battalion and said: "Boys, you don't look like a barbarian army, but I'm d—d if you don't smell like one."

Republican Want Ads. Pay.

THRILLING RESCUE IN MINE

Accident Extinguishes Man's Lantern When He Was in Old Working.

London.—How he was lost for ten hours in a dark coal mine, and only then rescued in an exhausted condition with great difficulty by a search party, was told by Willie Phillips, a mine official of Treharris, near Merthyr.

Mr. Phillips, who is a son of the Treharris mine manager, had a remarkable escape from death. His lamp went out, and he lost his way in the dark in the Treharris mine.

"I was superintending a party of men who were raising rails," he stated "when I had occasion to go to another part of the colliery.

"Suddenly I stumbled and my lamp slipped out of my hand and went out. I did not know how to proceed. I shouted, but could not make the men hear, although I, myself, could hear them pulling the rails. I was in an old road, and I had to crawl on my hands and knees.

"I shouted again and again, but without success, and ultimately I lay down, tired and worn out, and afraid to venture too far owing to perils of gas and water in old workings.

"Eventually I went to sleep, and when I woke knew that search parties had been organized, for I could hear them shout continually. 'Will Phillips!'

"I responded as loud as I could, but the air carried my voice in an opposite direction. I was now hungry and thirsty, and I cried twice and prayed.

"With my tears I moistened my lips and that gave me relief.

"Slowly I started crawling along the road I had come toward the sounds I heard. I cut my hands and knees badly, but eventually was able to stand upright. I fell frequently and when I was found I was lying down near a sheet.

"It was as a result of a suggestion by my father that I was rescued.

"The search parties thought that the road I had wandered into had been closed up, but my father told them to explore it, with the result that I was discovered."

GIVES STAKE; GIVEN FORTUNE

Sheriff W. A. Hammel of Los Angeles Given Wealth by Chinaman for Assisting Him.

Los Angeles, Cal.—Sam Yet, perhaps America's richest Chinese miner, came into town this week from Nevada prepared to divide his fortune half and half with Sheriff William A. Hammel.

Several local mining men who know the Chinaman declare his properties are worth from \$500,000 to \$750,000. Five years ago he was a prosperous Nevada ranchman with plenty of money and a handsome white wife. After she died Sam Yet began gambling and soon lost everything.

Hammel, who had known the Chinese rancher a long time and believed in his integrity and ability, loaned him \$1,600 for a new start. The Chinese went prospecting again, located and sold half a dozen valuable claims in the Goldfield country, and finally found something that looked too good to sell, which he has since been working.

Hammel says he never saw the property, but has been shown many rich samples from there. He does not want more than the amount of the loan back, but Sam Yet is insistent on paying the usual percentage to a grubstaker.

APOLOGY AT ALTAR COSTLY

Young Men Take the Wrong Place to Force an Explanation from E. N. Harness.

Walla Walla.—Gallantry is all right in its place, but a church isn't the place.

So at least have learned William Thompson and Ned O. Wike, two Attalla young men, who have just paid \$25 each for beating a man and then making him apologize publicly for what he had done.

They pleaded guilty to the charge as drawn up by Judge Lewis of Attalla of "committing the crime of disturbing the peace and fighting at the schoolhouse during Christian services, then leading their victim, bleeding, into the church and presenting him to the congregation during services." E. N. Harness was the victim.

JUSTICE'S TABLE* A FAKE

Supposed Bronze Marker on Court-house Only Cheap Pine Block—Probe Is Started.

Holldaysburg, Pa.—The front corridor of Blair county's \$500,000 courthouse is adorned by a large "bronze" tablet, having inscribed thereon the names of prominent sons of the county.

It was discovered that the supposed bronze tablet was only cheap pine wood, painted deceptively, and a wag cut the word "fake" with his pen-knife in the tablet.

Lawyers and politicians who expended hundreds of dollars to preserve their names to posterity in the tablet are indignant and an official investigation is brewing.

Saved Fortune From Tips.

New York.—Miss Rose Farrell, hat rack girl in a hotel, amassed a fortune the past eight years based on tips received and invested in real estate. She was married a few nights ago to a traffic policeman and after the ceremony shyly showed him a bank book, containing deposits of \$80,000.

Midsummer Millinery Copied From Paintings of Beauties of the Past



PAINTINGS of beauties of other days have been looked to, to furnish inspiration for midsummer millinery of today. The Gainsborough and Rembrandt hats follow their models almost exactly as to line and poise, only departing from them in composition and trimming.

Even here it is the necessity for variety that brings into use new ornaments and fashionable feathers or flowers. No one can fail to appreciate the beauty of this artistic headwear, and, for the young woman who can carry it off (that is, dress in keeping and look after the carriage of her figure) there is nothing to compare to it for distinction.

Two of the finest examples of these picturesque styles are illustrated here. They are both black hats with white trimming. This combination always is

brilliant. The Rembrandt is of fine Milan with double brim, woven so that it rolls under to the head size. Black velvet ribbon and a tuft of black and white plumes afford its trimming. It is to be worn with a decided tilt, never any less than that shown in the picture.

The wide brimmed hat of black lace follows its original model less closely, but is not difficult to recognize. The brim is outlined with white crystal beads and the cockade of white ostrich is mounted with a fringed cabochon made of the same kind of beads. The brim is indented at the left and turns sharply off the face here. It widens toward the back. This hat may be worn with a much more decided tilt by girls who are tall and full of figure.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

AN OSTEND BATHING SUIT WAYS OF HOLDING SUNSHADE



Gracefulness in This Respect Adds Much Charm to the General Appearance.

The sunshade seems to be a rock upon which many a woman's good taste hopelessly founders. Not only does one often see uncomfortable color mixtures, but quite as often the sunshade is held so ungracefully that the whole effect is awkward and clumsy. There ought to be classes on "How to Hold the Sunshade," and nine women out of ten would benefit from the lessons, but as no enterprising individual has originated the idea, I can only recommend a little practice before a long mirror. Also take note of the following: (1) See that you do not grasp the handle as if it were an implement of war. (2) Do not hold it too near the center of the handle nor too near the tip—both these faults are very common, and give a most awkward appearance. (3) Don't use it as a walking stick, nor, if it has a crook handle, hang it on your arm. (4) Hold it lightly and easily a little distance from the top of the handle and at a slightly slanting angle.

Lovely Footgear.

Footgear, for those who can afford the most expensive, is more than beautiful, and the fancy now is for kid instead of for suede footgear, and the colors, if they do not match the dress, harmonize with the hat or with the lining of the coat.

Naturally, the beauty of such footgear must be matched by exceedingly lovely hosiery, made of silk inset with lace, and some of it is actually traced with millinery diamonds or colored gems to harmonize with the color of the evening gown. Shoes outlined with jewels are an exquisite resource for full dress wear.

New Hair Bands.

Hair bands are still fashionable and are made of imitation pearls, tinsel, crystal beads, and maline. New ones include a stiff little brush of spun glass, but it did not gain favor, for the feminine eyes look for more than sparkle in an ornament, and these had no other recommendation than their glitter.

Afghan for Baby's Carriage.

A pretty summer afghan for the baby's carriage is made of strips of handkerchief linen held together with inch and a half wide cluny lace, which also edges the cover. This is lined with pink or blue silk and ornamented on the outside with a large satin bow. This makes a dainty protection and is not heating.

PLANE TO HUNT COYOTES

Aviator Easily Detects Animals Sought by Members of California Rifle Club.

Santa Clara, Cal.—Swooping over the foothills recently, Glenn Martin's biplane scared all the coyotes in sight and hearing. The occasion was the coyote hunt of the Santa Ana Rifle club, of which Martin is a member, and the result of the hunt was the capture of one coyote, a big fellow. The carcass was strapped to the aeroplane and was taken as passenger to Santa Ana.

The hunters had hoped to bring in half a dozen of the pests, but were unable to begin their hunt until after seven o'clock. It had been planned to begin at 4:30 o'clock, in order to catch the sneaking animals before they got back into the brushy hills. By an oversight the gate of the pasture in which the foothills are located was left locked, and it was seven o'clock before the hunters could proceed. The hunters covered ground from the old San Joaquin ranch house to the hills directly back of Corona Del Mar.

Martin waited until after the fog raised before venturing to fly. He did not like the idea of going through the fog sixty miles an hour with the possibility that he would suddenly find a high hill in front of him, too late to rise over it. After the fog lifted Martin, with a passenger, scouted along the range of foothills, using the biplane in which he made his trip from Newport bay to Avalon. The aircraft was driven low, and it was with ease that moving objects in the brush could be detected. Martin is thoroughly satisfied with the efficiency of the aeroplane as a means of scouting for wild animals. He thinks it has great possibilities as a means of driving game into the open.

To William Jeffrey, from whose ranch the start was made, belongs the honor of the hunt.

NEW AUTO TAX SWINDLE

Dodge of Using Dealer's Tag Comes High When Discovered by Pennsylvania Officials.

Harrisburg.—State highway department officials have discovered that the state is being swindled by unscrupulous dealers in and owners of automobiles throughout the state by misuse of demonstration tags, and they have at once commenced prosecutions to check it.

An automobile dealer, in taking out a license as a dealer, gets a tag with an X, which entitles him to use the machine in showing off its merits to intending purchasers and for no other purpose, and one tag will do for his entire stock in trade, but he must not use that tag on a vehicle that he uses for pleasure or hires to others for pleasure. It seems, however, that dealers have been doing that. A dealer's license costs but \$5, while a tag for a pleasure machine or for hiring purposes costs from \$10 to \$15. In order to evade paying the higher license a number of people owning automobiles, who are not dealers, and also a number of dealers, have been getting the lower priced tags and using what purports to be a machine for sale, for hiring and pleasure purposes.

The department has been quietly picking up offenders and asking them to step up to the magistrate's office and pay the fine for violation of the law, \$25, and at the same time take out the proper tag. About 200 of these offenders have been discovered in Pittsburgh, and in Harrisburg in the past few days eight of the dodgers have been notified of their prosecutions.

MEN PAINT DOGS; ARE SUED

Nine Playful Missourians Called to Account for Mistreating Hounds by Minister.

Jamesport, Mo.—Rev. W. E. Brown, pastor of the Methodist church here, has brought suit for \$20,000 against five young men and four young society women, charging that they captured his two blooded Missouri fox hounds and painted them, one with stripes and the other spots. He declares the hounds ran to him and smeared his trousers with paint. He also alleges they suffered from lead poisoning.

The hounds are said to have been treated to the coating of paint at a party given by Miss Blanch Thompson, daughter of a Jamesport banker, in honor of her approaching wedding to Frank Smith.

ASKS CASH FOR CITY STORE

Spokane Man Wants Food and Clothing Furnished to the People at Cost.

Spokane, Wash.—Commissioner of Public Works C. D. Coates announced that he would ask the city commission to appropriate from \$100,000 to \$200,000 to establish a municipal store for the purpose of furnishing food and clothing to the people at cost prices in an attempt to lower the cost of living. Commissioner Coates, while elected on a non-partisan ticket, has been prominent in the affairs of the Socialist party in this state.

Berry Measured Four Inches.

Marysville, Cal.—A strawberry measuring four inches in circumference was displayed by T. Spafford, who has a half acre patch planted to vines eight miles north of this city. Spafford has installed a private irrigation plant on his place.

Practical Fashions

CHILDREN'S DRESS.



A simple little dress, which has a certain charm not found in the more pretentious models is here given. The frock closes at the front and has body and sleeves in one. The attached skirt is a one-piece circular design. Pink linen or similar material with trimming of white or white material with pink trim would be very pretty.

The pattern (No. 5758) is cut in sizes 2 to 8 years. To make the dress in the medium size will require 3 1/2 yards of 27 inch material, or 2 1/2 yards of goods 36 inches wide and 1 1/2 yards of 27 inch contrasting fabric.

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Delicate Scales.

In the personal laboratory of Sir William Ramsay, at University college, London, is a new pair of scales so delicately adjusted that they will weigh a seven-millionth part of an ounce. The room is in semi-darkness. So delicate are these wonderful scales that their balance is disturbed by the alteration of temperature caused by the turning on of an electric light at the other end of the room. The operator has to leave them for an hour in darkness—after he has tipped from the room so that his footfall should not get up any vibration—and then read them swiftly before any change in the temperature has had time to affect them. The scales, only a few inches long, appears a mere cobweb of glass with its frail supports. It is not made of glass, however, explains Sir William, but of silica, which expands and contracts under the effect of heat far less than glass.

Frightful Polar Winds

blow with terrific force at the far north and play havoc with the skin, causing red, rough or sore chapped hands and lips, that need Bucklen's Arnica Salve to heal them. It makes the skin soft and smooth. Unrivaled for cold-sores, also burns, boils, sores, ulcers, cuts, bruises and piles. Only 25 cents at the Andrews Drug Co., Seymour, Ind.

Fifty Years Ago Sunday.

July 7.

At Bayou Cache, Ark., General S. R. Curtis' Federal column, which was marching from Little Rock to Helena, defeated a Confederate force led by General Albert Rust. Rust attempted to destroy Curtis at the crossing of the almost impassable bayou.

Twenty-five Years Ago Sunday

Prince Ferdinand of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha elected to the Bulgarian throne by the national assembly after months of discussion which threatened to bring on a European war.

Fifty Years Ago Today.

July 8.

President Lincoln visited the camps of the Army of the Potomac on James river, his first appearance at the front.

Twenty-five Years Ago Today.

President Cleveland announced that he would not visit St. Louis during the G. A. R. encampment owing to the objection of many veterans to his presence.

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A GOOD YEAR AHEAD.

The reports found in the current issues of the financial and trade journals indicate that their is now an increasing volume of business throughout the country, and that it can be confidently expected that the coming year will be one of the best the country has experienced for sometime. It is pointed out that the general crop returns will total an average amount, and this is one of the best indications of a prosperous year. Jobbers and retailers forecast that the next twelve months will be one of general prosperity and are consequently making liberal purchases in order to be prepared for the increasing amount of trade.

In speaking upon the general outlook for the year, the St. Louis Globe Democrat editorially says:

By the time November is reached the country will be enjoying a business activity, on a safe margin of profit which will not again lead to overproduction. The distribution of these activities will by that time be affecting all industrial classes. And at that time will come up for answer the question of whether it is well to let well enough alone or would it be better to try experiments. The Democratic programme, now as always, involves the making of a great experiment and one which the country has found, on more than one occasion, to be filled with fearful possibilities of wreck. The tariff plank in

the Baltimore platform goes a little farther than any of its predecessors. Mr. Bryan, just interviewed in Chicago, says it was made strong because it was intended to strike the keynote of the Democratic campaign. The American people have been along this road before now. There are sign posts, and even ghastly monuments erected here and there, telling what has been their experience. If, in November, they should fall into a pit, it will not be for want of danger signals or fingers pointing the right way. The red light at the turn of the road shines by day and by night, and there as well stands the great white light which marks the open course.

James P. Goodrich, of Indiana, has been prominently mentioned in connection with the Republican national chairmanship. If he should be chosen he would make an able captain and at the same time conduct the campaign in a clean and wholesome manner. A number of other Indiana politicians have been mentioned for the place, but President Taft has not yet stated who he prefers.

Now that Tom Marshall has failed in his attempt to force the new constitution upon the people of the state he might do some practical work in assisting the state house democrats in solving their financial difficulties.

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OUTLINE IS GIVEN FOR INSTITUTES

Department of Public Instruction Announce Subjects for Sessions of Township Teachers.

SEVEN MEETINGS PLANNED

Pamphlet Recommends That Special Attention Be Given to General Sanitary Rules.

County Superintendent J. E. Payne will receive in a few days a copy of a pamphlet issued by the state department of public instruction containing an outline of the work to be followed in the township institutes during the coming year.

Programs for seven institutes are set forth in pamphlets that will be circulated this week. The state law governing township institutes requires that one meeting each month the schools are in session shall be devoted to discussion of school work by the teachers.

The program this year does not contain an outline for a preliminary institute, but these meetings may be held if the county superintendents desire. The preliminary meetings, according to the state officials, should be devoted, however, to organizing the teachers for future meetings.

The following subjects are scheduled for discussion for the first institute: "How Can the Township Institute Be Made Most Valuable to Teachers and Schools?" "Plans for Bringing Parents and Teachers Together for Co-Operative Work." "Parent-Teachers' Organizations." "Parents' Day." "Libraries." "The School as a Social Center" and subjects pertaining to teachers' reading circle work.

A discussion of teaching English will follow in the second institute, that of the Teachers' Speech and of special attention being directed to such subjects as the following: "The Speech in the Home to Good Work in the Schools." "Schemes for Correcting Errors in the Speech of Children in the Primary Grades." "What Language Equipment May a Fifth Grade Teacher Expect Her Pupils to Possess" and "The Conduct of a Seventh Grade Class in Composition."

The subjects of geography and arithmetic will be discussed, according to the outline, in the third and fourth institutes, and the fifth institute will be devoted to health and sanitation. Numerous diseases from which school children frequently suffer will be discussed. The schedule of work directs that history and methods of teaching it be discussed at the sixth institute, and industrial training at the last meeting.

The pamphlet containing the outlines also contains an article by Dr. W. F. King, assistant secretary of the State Board of Health, on "Schools and Public Health." Dr. King makes a direct appeal to the teachers, parents and school children to observe all the laws of proper sanitation and urges the celebration of a health day. He says that the new "public health movement" depends for success to a greater extent on the support given by public schools. He says:

"The teacher can do much in this movement. She can live health as well as teach it. She can keep her room well ventilated, see that her children have the proper size of desks, abolish the common drinking cup, the common pencil box and the common towel. She can give the children periods of relaxation and change of work. She can prevent nerve storms by tender treatment. Any teacher can test the vision of her pupils with a 10-cent card and a few minutes time, and on many occasions a quiet talk with the pupil after school on the importance of wearing glasses will accomplish that result."

The foreword to the report contains praise for the work of township institutes in the past and predicts greater results in the future, as follows:

"The township institute has been a powerful factor in rural education in Indiana. It has been the means of bringing together, at least once a month, teachers in district schools, with little supervision, and has made it possible for them to exchange ideas and methods, and otherwise co-operate for the advancement of education."

"The township institute takes the place, in large measure, of the city and town teachers' meetings, and the program for each session should be carefully planned and carried out under competent leadership. The spirit of the teachers is the spirit of the institute and its success or failure will depend upon their interest and enthusiasm."

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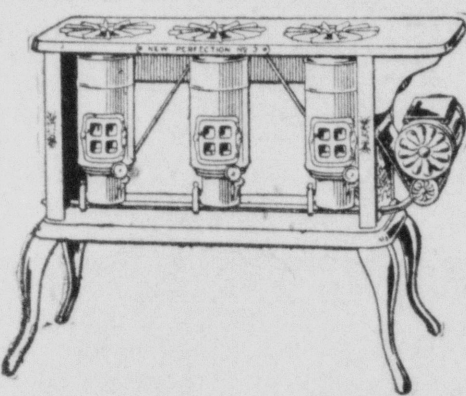
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PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wible spent Sunday in Crothersville.

Carl Wood of Indianapolis spend Sunday in Seymour with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Day returned home from Tunnelton this morning.

Mrs. Joseph Stein has gone to Cincinnati to visit relatives for a week.

Miss Elizabeth and Mayme Reinhardt went to Indianapolis this morning.

Joe Yost of Vallonia was here this morning on his way home from Danville.

Miss Mary Disney has gone to Borden to spend her vacation and to visit relatives.

Mrs. Kate Heuser of Cincinnati is here to visit relatives and friends for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kasperlain spent Sunday in New Albany with relatives.

Mrs. Ulysses S. Grant of Kansas City, Mo., is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. E. D. Wright.

Attorney General T. M. Honan came down from Indianapolis Sunday to visit relatives.

Mrs. H. T. Bennett went to Mitchell Sunday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Elgin Marsh.

Mrs. J. B. Purkheiser returned home Saturday from spending a week at West Baden Springs.

Misses Lucile and Ruth Motley are visiting the family of Judge Ed Jackson east of Seymour.

Edward Huber of Indianapolis spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Huber.

Mrs. Richard Temple, Miss Ella Smith and Mrs. E. P. Elsner spent Sunday in New Albany.

Mrs. Elmer Johnson and son went to Mitchell this morning to visit her sister, Mrs. Hugo Siefker.

Frank Thomas of Indianapolis spent Sunday the guest of his brother, George Thomas and wife.

Charles Allen, of Bedford, county recorded of Lawrence county is visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Allen.

Miss Nina Patrick went to Indianapolis Sunday evening to visit her brother, John Patrick and wife.

Mrs. R. O. Mayes and children went to Blotcher this morning to visit her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Vest.

Clarence M. Brown an attorney of New Castle is visiting Judge Ed Jackson at the orchard east of Seymour.

Mrs. Bertha Campbell and Miss Bessie Guthrie of Columbus spent Sunday here with Miss Effie Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pellens and Mr. and Mrs. Avis Hoadley and daughter, Virginia visited in Henryville Sunday.

Fred Plump of Indianapolis came yesterday to spend a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Plump Sr.

Paul Droge, who has been teaching at the Fort Wayne College the past year, is home to spend his vacation.

Miss Grace Rust returned to her home in Brownstown this morning after visiting Miss Jessie Hall for a week.

Miss Elva Pollert of Vallonia was here this morning and returned to Indianapolis where she is attending school.

Miss Anna Kastrup came Sunday from Evansville to make her home with her brother, Prof. Will Kastrup near Sauers.

Dr. D. L. Thomas and Dr. F. M. Steele went to Scottsburg today to attend the district conference of the M. E. church.

Mrs. John Baker and baby returned home Saturday from Louisville where they have been the guests of Miss Mae Trenter.

Miss Grace McGinty of Indianapolis came Saturday and visited over Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony McGinty.

Lee Stater and his grandson, Lee Winterberg, of Edinburg were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry McColgin on south Chestnut street.

Mrs. Nancy Swift and Mrs. L. Nicholas of Sellersburg returned to their home this morning after being the guest of Mrs. John James.

Mrs. Charles Vogel, of Indianapolis who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John L. Vogel, went to Jeffersonville this morning to visit Mrs. J. S. Gossett.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Frazer and daughter, Frances May, arrived here Saturday from Birmingham, Ala. to visit relatives and friends for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Schafer of Franklin, Less VanArsdol and Miss Ida VanArsdol of Indianapolis spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Logan Brown.

Mrs. Will Cobb of Visalia, Ky. who has been visiting Mrs. R. A. Temple for several months, has gone to New Albany for a visit before returning to her home.

Mrs. A. F. Duke and niece, Miss Mary Lou Richmond of Forney, Tex., who have been visiting Mrs. Mary Galbraith went to Indianapolis this morning. Mrs. Galbraith accompanied them.

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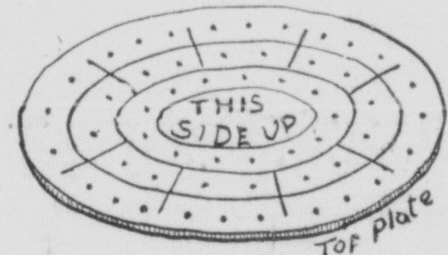
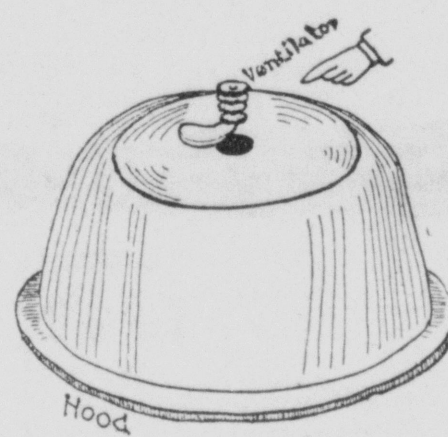
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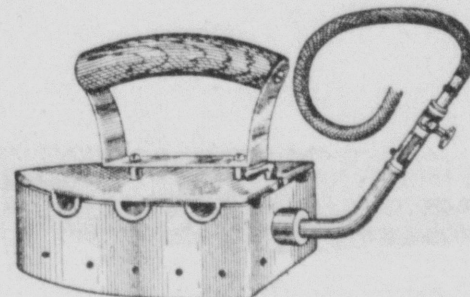
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Alvin Barkhan came down from Indianapolis to visit friends for a week.

Meade Isaacs and daughter, Dorothy, visited his parents at Acme.

Miss Della Prince of Indianapolis is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Prince at Crothersville.

Jay C. Smith went to Indianapolis this morning to attend the funeral of the late Rev. S. C. Fulmer.

Miss Helen Norton of Bedford, was the guest of Mrs. Hugh Wilford and Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Shields Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Larrison and daughter, Norma went to Indianapolis Sunday to visit Mrs. Orr Baldwin and family.

Miss Esther Plump returned home from a visit in Indianapolis. She was accompanied by her niece and nephew for a visit.

Miss Ida Wies and Dr. Geiser of Cincinnati, returned home Sunday evening after spending a few days with a camping party at Peter's cabin.

Mrs. Charles Anderson of Oak Grove is dangerously ill.

Mrs. Fred Hodapp has returned home from visiting her mother in Cincinnati.

Gus Aufderheide has returned to Cincinnati after spending a week with his sister, Miss Lizzie Aufderheide.

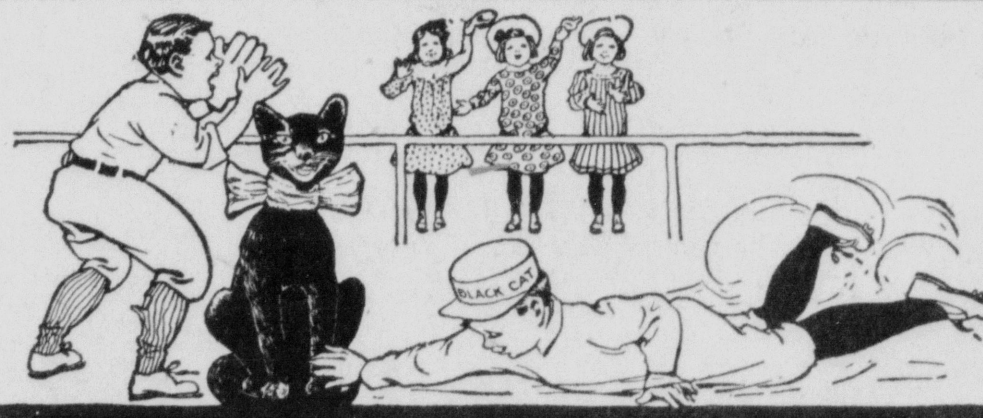
August Claprod of Indianapolis, who has been visiting friends here since the Fourth, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Smith returned to Indianapolis Sunday evening after spending a week here and at Reddington.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sheron are here from Cincinnati to spend several days with Mrs. Ida Miller and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Sheron.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bergdoll of Seymour, Ills. who are visiting her parents in Acme, spent Sunday with relatives in Seymour.

Mr. and Mrs. Will McKinney arrived here Sunday from Texarkana, Texas and are the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McKinney.



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1. When day is o-ver And
2. Dark clouds may gath-er And

night is draw-ing nigh, cold, bleak winds may blow,
One by one the stars ap-pear Like bea-cons in the sky;
But the world sleeps on in peace Thro' Night-time's ebb and flow;

Dark-ness swift-ly gath-ers, The sun sinks down the West, And up a-bove an Eve-ning Star God
Till the break of morn-ing Grim dan-ger pass-es by, For up a-bove the Guard-ian Star Will

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twink-ling eye a-far, For-ev-er bright, In

peace-ful, Ho-ly light, Guard our sleep, And

watch-ful keep Us through the night—Oh Star, shine on!

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LETTER**
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WILLIAM JOHNSTON
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CHAPTER XVI.

The Forty-Ninth Hour.

Two days—two unforgettable days—we passed there in the hut, Davis and I and our self-tortured prisoner. Each day the constable came and went, the first day to tell us that the inspector's plan for disposing of the postmaster's body had been successful and that no suspicion had been aroused. The second day a pleasant mission brought him to deliver telegrams from Cranford and Louise that all was well, that the general was slowly improving and that Katharine was recovering rapidly.

And all the while Young lay there bound, defying us, now cursing, now pleading, now in brilliant phrases striving to convince us by logical arguments so deft, so forceful, so unerring that a weaker and less wise man than Davis might have been convinced by them.

His logic failing he would turn to merciless invective and ribald threats, his penetrating voice making the whole hut hideous as he prophesied for us both grotesque horrible deaths, brain-breaking punishments in this world and the next. Then, overcome once more by the intensity of his unsatisfied desire for the drug that had long been his master, he would moan and plead and weep for morphine. At times delusions would seize his brain. By the hour he would rave of beautiful cities and wonderfully fair women and pleasant pastimes. Fantastic lines of poetry would flow from his fevered lips, to end in a shriek of agony as his quivering, knotted muscles all but tore his nerves apart. Again the weird morphine fantasies would take hold of him and a rush of horrible grotesque ribaldries would fill the air.

At times he dozed, moaning in agony even in his sleep. Three times a day we offered him food, and once of twice he took a little water, but the one thing only he craved, the one thing he hungered and thirsted for was morphine, and that Davis

would not let him have, though all the while it lay there almost within his reach, where he could see it.

And still he defied us.

But after forty-eight hours of this terrible torture nature would be put off no longer. She demanded rest. Young had sunk into a troubled, uneasy sleep about seven in the morning. Davis and I, having spelled each other as guards during the night, sat talking about our prisoner. I happened to remark that it was a pity that capital punishment could not remove such criminals as Young from the earth. The inspector, in spite of the rigorous way he had kept up the torture, seemed to have strong sympathy for Young.

"I don't believe in capital punishment at all," he said explosively. "Our whole system is wrong. It took us a good many centuries to discover that insane persons didn't need prisons, but doctoring. They just can't help being criminals. Stand behind a line of prisoners as they march in to breakfast in the penitentiary. Not one of them will have a normal head. Is that their fault? It is the fault of society. It's our fault. This poor devil here, his father a drug fiend and his mother drinking herself into insanity, what chance did he have? Yet who knows, some day this marvelous new surgery may be able to take the children of even such parents as his were, reshape their skulls and make them honest, useful citizens."

There was a stir on the couch and Young opened his eyes. The fire of the drug-madness and the look of hate seemed to have vanished.

"I give up," he said. "I can't stand the strain any longer. I'll tell you anything you want to know."

He spoke quietly and calmly. Yet there was something in his voice that rang true. I felt that this time he meant what he said. Apparently Davis, too, realized that at last Young's spirit was broken. Without hesitation, he seized the hypodermic syringe and plunged it into Young's arm. The prisoner breathed a long sigh of relief. The color came back into his face and strength to his voice. His muscles stopped twitching.

"Now," said Davis gently, "where are the yellow letters hid?"

"In a tin-box under a flat stone near the spring," Young replied.

"Which stone?"

"It's the third from the spring coming this way."

Davis was up like a shot and out the door, reappearing quickly with an ordinary document box.

"And the Farrish papers—where are they?" he asked sharply.

"They are in the box, too," said Young wearily. "May I have another shot?"

Davis studied his face and felt his

pulse and then reached for the syringe.

"Where's the key?" he asked as he finished administering the morphine.

"In my left trousers' pocket," Young answered apathetically.

Quickly Davis possessed himself of the key and opened the box. In the top tray were perhaps fifty letters, type-written on yellow paper, with a blank left for the name to be filled in. Without stopping to read the letters, which seemed to be all after the same form, Davis lifted the tray. In the bottom of the box was a type-written list of names and a bulky sealed legal envelope, marked on the outside "Papers in the Farrish case."

"Here, Kent," said Davis, handing me the envelope, "take charge of these and give them to Miss Louise or Miss Katharine. You're entitled to that."

"Now, Young," said the inspector, "tell me all about your scheme."

"If the damn thieves hadn't been such cowards as to go and kill themselves," said Young with a glow of enthusiasm, "I would have been a millionaire within a year. Read one of the letters and you can see for yourself just how good the scheme was."

Lifting the topmost sheet the inspector read the yellow letter aloud:

Lock Box 17,
Ardway, N. J., Feb. 8, 1910.

Dear Sir:

I am writing to you in pursuance of my duty as executor of the late Edwin Green, who died here recently, leaving his entire estate, amounting to some \$380,000, in my hands for what he was pleased to term a "Defaulters' Fund."

I can best explain its purpose by briefly summarizing the founder's life. In his early youth Mr. Green was employed for a short time in a bank in a small city in

another state. Becoming involved in speculation he used several hundred dollars of the bank's funds. He had no relatives but a sister, to whom he knew it was useless to apply for aid. As discovery seemed inevitable he was contemplating suicide, seeing nothing but prison and disgrace ahead of him. But an old friend of his father, who entirely by accident learned of his plight, advanced him the money he needed to make good his defalcation, exacting from him a promise that he would help others in similar plight whenever he had opportunity.

His subsequent life was of the highest rectitude. Though he amassed a fortune he never found opportunity to aid any one in a plight similar to the one in which he once found himself. It became almost a mania with him and resulted in his leaving his entire fortune to aid first offenders in turning back into the right path.

I know of no way of reaching the persons he intended to aid. I am sending out this letter to persons employed in banks and positions of trust, hoping that you or others who receive it may know of some man young or old, who has made the first misstep and is wrongfully using funds belonging to others, but is desirous of making good his peculations. If you should know of any such I will gladly make good his defalcation and endeavor to save him from exposure, disgrace and imprisonment, asking only his word that he will not err again, for Mr. Green, in the deed of trust, expressly specifies that this is the only security to be exacted.

I am, sir,
Very truly yours,
HENRY MALCOLM STEWART.

As Davis finished reading the letter I took it from his hand and carefully reread it. There could be no doubt that it was the same in form as the scrap Louise and I had found. As I scanned the lines, the words at the beginning of each, from the seventh on to the thirteenth, were the same as those over which we had racked our brains. The context now made them plain enough, but still I failed to see what deadly import the letter had or what sinister meaning in it should drive its recipients to desperation and suicide. Surely on its face it appeared to present the harmless whim of an old man's slightly unbalanced brain. I turned to Davis for an explanation.

"An ingenious letter," Davis was saying. "And they fell for it?"

A look of pride came into the prisoner's face.

"Wasn't it great," he exclaimed. "Why, they ate it up like hot cakes!"

"Just plain blackmail," said the inspector.

"No, indeed—fancy blackmail," said Young indignantly. "They never had it dished up to them quite in this way before. I insist, if I've got to go to jail for it, on at least receiving credit for a new criminal invention."

"I fail to see," I interrupted, "just how the letter was a criminal one or why it should have bothered any one."

"I'm afraid you will never make a good detective," said the inspector pityingly. "Don't you see how it worked? Young devised this letter.

He needed the co-operation of some one in the post office to send it out without arousing suspicion. He tried yellow letters first on General Farrish to test the terrifying effects. Satisfied that his yellow letter plan would bring results, he recalled his acquaintance with Rouser, whom he knew to be weak and easily led. He returned to Ardway—his old home—and found it child's play to enlist Rouser's services. It was part of his general scheme for Rouser to send and receive all the mail through a lock box with a false name. His object in this was to enable him, in case the postal or police authorities got on his trail, to have all the documentary evidence point to Rouser alone. Before his connection with the letters could be established he could make his escape with the money the letters brought in."

"I still don't see," I protested, "how these letters could bring in money. They read exactly the opposite. They promise to give away money."

"That's the cleverest thing about it," the inspector said, and Young's malevolent eyes glistened at this tribute. "Can't you see how it worked? Young and Rouser, from tax lists, bank directories, from telephone books—from a variety of sources—compiled a list of persons employed in positions of trust and began sending out these yellow letters broadcast. If one of these should reach an honest bank employe or cashier, the conspirators figured that he would laugh at it and tear it up. But suppose one of them fell into the hands of a man who was guilty of peculations of some sort. Suppose, for instance, old Andrew Elser, when his law business had failed him, had begun to speculate with the funds belonging to the boy for whom he was guardian. His speculations are unfortunate. He plunges and loses still more. He becomes desperate. He sees no way of replacing the money he has stolen. It seems certain that his crime will be discovered and that he will be disgraced. He can not sleep nights. His brain, constantly agitated by fear and worry, will not permit him to rest. His judgment, never acute, or he would not have become a thief, becomes more and more unbalanced. Then one day this yellow letter comes. It reads convincingly. It promises immediate aid. It pledges secrecy. At last he sees an honorable way out. He hastens to send a reply to Lock Box No. 17, Ardway, N. J., as directed. Can't you imagine what happens then? Young communicates with him at once. You used the telephone, didn't you?"

The prisoner nodded.

"Sure," he said, "the telephone every time. It leaves no records behind it and the Bertillon system can't identify a voice."

"Now," the inspector went on, "what does Young say over the telephone to Elser? Something like this—'You're an old thief. I've got the proof. You are stealing somebody's money. Steal some more and give it to me or I'll tell.' Unfortunately, in old Elser's case there was no more money left to steal, so he killed himself. Am I right, Young?"

Again the prisoner nodded, and again he demanded another dose of morphine. His muscles were again getting beyond his control. As Davis fixed the hypodermic, I asked: "But where does the old maid from Connecticut come in? Surely she wasn't a defaulter?"

"I suspect it was the brother with whom she made her home," said the inspector.

(To be concluded)

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N. L. HUGGINS,
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Personally appeared before me this 20th of September, 1909, N. L. Huggins, who subscribed the above statement and made oath that the same is true in substance and in fact.

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EXTRACT FROM THE WILL.

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NEW YORK.—Behind a will filed in the Surrogate's office the other day lies the story of a life of romance which did not even die with death. The will was made by Katherine Lee Doyle Barringer, wife for five months of Walter M. Barringer, a rich member of the Chicago Stock Exchange.

She left nothing to her husband out of her \$100,000 estate, not that they were not the best of friends. But she did leave to her sweetheart of other days her home. It is a beautiful place at Deal Beach, N. J., and Mr. Well is to have it for his own as long as he lives in memory of the happy days when they loved each other but could not marry.

It is a story of love spoiled by a will of long ago.

Some years ago young Mr. Well inherited an estate which is today estimated in the hundred thousands. There was a string to the money. He could not marry out of his faith, and he was a Hebrew. Miss Doyle was a Protestant. They met. It was love at first sight. And then the provisions of the other will—Mr. Well could marry a girl of the same birth as himself.

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"Very well," he said to Miss Doyle, "if I can't marry you I won't marry anybody."

She told him her love, too, and more.

"I'll give it all up for you," said Mr. Well.

"And I won't let you," answered Miss Doyle, "much as I love you."

Poor Mr. Well fairly wept as he confronted the beautiful girl who was giving her love that he might keep his estate. And few could have blamed him. There were few fairer girls in New York ten years ago than "Kitty"—Miss Doyle. She was tall, raven-haired, with a complexion of ivory and rose, a lissome figure and the poise of a princess. Many a New York swain had succumbed to her charms only to be turned down.

For ten years young Mr. Well kept up his suit, but it was all to no purpose—Miss Doyle absolutely refused to marry him and force him the loss

of his estate. They were together constantly, and their friends, not knowing the provisions of the will, predicted that they would soon be married. But Katherine Doyle's love was too great for that—she declined to marry a man only to disinherit him.

Few Knew the Secret.

Things went along for several years. Young Well showered gifts upon the girl he knew would never be his bride. Many of their mutual friends wondered why there never was the announcement of an engagement—only a few in the secret actually knew the real reason why.

"It can never be," answered the girl to all questions, "but more than this I can't say."

Still there was no sign of any loss of the love that each bore the other. Mr. Well carried Miss Doyle's photograph in a gold locket and a chain just as a man would wear a watch. They were always together—out on an automobile jaunt, at the theater, in the restaurants, at the beaches—everywhere.

Now, Miss Doyle's family are well to do. Her sister, Mrs. Julia H. Flaacke, lives in a handsome Colonial house at No. 141 Harrison avenue, Jersey City. Her mother, Mrs. Lucille C. Gorman, has a home at No. 3 West Eighty-third street, New York City. And Miss Doyle had a fortune of her own—in fact, she had received something like \$100,000 from Mr. Well in jewels and real estate alone.

So things ran along.

Miss Doyle a Wealthy Woman.

By judicious investments Miss Doyle increased her estate until it came to be worth more and more. Some say today that it may realize as much as \$400,000, but a more conservative reckoning will make it nearer \$100,000. No estimate of the amount of its value or the value of the real estate has been filed with the will.

Then came a sudden change. Miss Doyle met Walter M. Barringer, a wealthy member of the Chicago Stock Exchange, who makes his headquarters most of the time in New York and at the Holland House. Barringer, a good-looking, well-dressed man under forty, promptly fell in love with the fetching New York girl, and it wasn't long before he proposed marriage to her.

"There's Mr. Well," answered the girl.

Mr. Barringer knew all about the old days and the love of the two for each other, and he knew, too, that they could never marry. He would listen to none of Miss Doyle's arguments, and finally she succumbed. Last November they were quietly married. Mr. Well sent his congratulations as soon as he heard of the wedding—be had

Honeymoon Ended by Death.

There was a brief honeymoon and a long trip to Chicago, where the couple were ideally happy. It was a bad winter, and young Mrs. Barringer felt the Chicago cold keenly. She went to her home at Deal Beach in the hope of recuperating. It availed little. Soon she failed so suddenly that her husband was sent for, and he arrived in time to be with her when she passed away with pneumonia on April 23 last.

After the funeral the bride's will was found. It gave her home as at No. 3 West Eighty-third street, and recited that there were kept her clothes, paintings, furniture and jewelry. She left \$1,000 each to her two uncles, Donald Swain and Chapin Swain; \$500 to her cousin, Earl Swain, and \$100 to Della Diffily, her maid. Then came the provision leaving to her mother, Mrs. Gorman, the Deal Beach property, with the exception that it was to be Mr. Well's during his lifetime. Everything else was left to Mrs. Barringer's mother, who was named as executrix. It was the will that revealed the earlier romance in the dead woman's life.

Mr. Barringer Satisfied.

"I don't think there was anything peculiar about my wife's will," said Mr. Barringer. "I knew nothing of its provisions beforehand. I suppose she thought that as I was comfortably off and did not need her money she had better leave it to some one who did."

"We had only been married about five months when she died. There had never been any quarrel between us. We loved each other devotedly and were sweethearts to the last."

Mr. Well lives at No. 644 Madison avenue, New York, and makes his business headquarters with the stock brokerage firm of H. Content & Co., No. 751 Fifth avenue. He said that he had been friends of the family for years and that there was nothing strange in that the use of the Deal Beach home had been willed to him. More than that he did not care to be quoted.

"Kate was a splendid girl," declared Mrs. Althea Geddes, one of the witnesses to the will, who lives with Mrs. Gorman. "Her taking off was all so sad, and just when she seemed so happily married."

And now it takes the formal legal wording of the will to recall the romance of other days.

HARD WORK OF AUTHORSHIP

Years of Patient Preparation Required to Produce a Book That Will Endure.

Those who have never carried a book through the press can form no idea of the amount of toil it involves. Livingstone, the African explorer, declared that he would rather cross the African continent again than undertake to write another book.

For the statistics of the negro population of South America alone Owen is said to have examined more than 150 volumes.

It is said one of Longfellow's poems that it was written in four weeks, but that he spent six months in revising and condensing it.

Bulwer declared that he had rewritten some of his briefest productions as many as eight or nine times before their publication. One of Tennyson's poems was rewritten 50 times.

Gibbons spent 20 years on his "Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire"; Adam Clark, 26 years on his "Commentary"; and Carlyle 15 years on his "Frederick the Great."

A great deal of time is consumed in reading before some books are prepared. George Eliot read 1,000 books before she wrote "Daniel Deronda." Alton read 2,000 before he completed his history.

Modest Kit.

Christopher (Kit) Carson touched the wild life of the west at more points than any other person of any time. But he was always modest, declares a writer in the Century Magazine, and disliked anything which savored of flattery.

One day in 1862 the great frontiersman chanced to stop at Maxwell's ranch on the Cimarron river, in New Mexico, a well-known point on the Santa Fe trail, when a regular army officer of high rank who was there, exclaimed exuberantly:

"So this is the distinguished Kit Carson who has made so many Indians run!"

Carson silenced his eulogist by quietly remarking, "Yes, I've made some Indians run, but a good deal of the time they were running after me."

An Expert on Eggs.

"When is an egg bad?" is the query sent out from the pure food department at Washington. This is the Downs (Kan.) News' answer: "Scientists differ as to the exact moment when decay sets in, but generally speaking, when it explodes with a sound not unlike that of a cannon cracker; when its breath resembles that of a ward politician the morning after election; when its interior mechanism no longer retains its party solidarity; when the atmosphere surrounding it causes you to think involuntarily of the Lorimer investigation;—then, we believe we are safe in saying the egg is bad."

Says Uncle Eben.

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Fame in Pursuit

John Falton left the trust company's building with quick, springing steps. He had much to think of in his half-hour walk to the station of his suburban train. If his story in a current magazine had been a surprise to his friends, it had been, in a way, none the less one to himself. It was not remarkable that the story should be one of finance; his position with the trust company gave him a knowledge of the theme and an acquaintance of many men.

A man back of him touched his shoulder.

"How are you, Falton?"

John swung around and caught the man's hand.

"You, Seabury? Well, this is good. I didn't know that you were at home."

"I've just come in. Ah—does this in here mean you, Falton?" He tapped significantly a magazine under his arm.

John nodded with a little embarrassment. "What do you think of it, Seabury?"

"Great, as a story. But—er—a bit too much from life, Falton. Looks as though you'd taken it from—er—that cotton deal."

"That's nonsense, Seabury. Your cotton deal was wholly legitimate, wasn't it? And I did not know enough about it to write it up. The story is fiction."

John entered the station with an indescribable irritation coursing through his veins. "I didn't know that Seabury could be so foolish," he muttered.

His train did not go out for five minutes, so he made no attempt to pass the man who stepped out of the crowd to speak to him.

"Hello, Falton, so you've been scribbling, I see."

"A little," John admitted. He tried to forget Seabury and to act naturally. "Have you read it?"

"O, yes; very good, very good, indeed, but just—er—just er—. You didn't—have any particular person in mind?"

"It was a creation, pure and simple," bristled John. "You could hardly expect me to write of finance as I would of engineering, a thing I know nothing about?"

"O, no, of course not. You have quite a gift—no doubt—no doubt of it, Falton."

"Excuse me," said John, "I'll miss my train."

But his fame still pursued. As the train pulled out a fellow-townsmen settled himself beside John.

"Well, Falton, you've been roasting 'em, eh? I suppose you've known of more than one deal of that sort?"

"None at all," snapped John.

"O, I thought you'd taken it from something that you'd got on to."

"It's a story, fiction, every word."

Forty minutes later John closed the door of his home with a sigh of relief. "Mother," he called, and she came hurrying to him.

"O, John, I've so much to tell you. First, Mrs. Elwood came here this morning. She was so surprised, John. But she thinks the story—"

"Mother," he interrupted, "let us have dinner and not the story. Do you know, honey, I'm a bit tired of it."

"O, I suppose you've heard nothing else all day, poor boy. Well, if you will be so clever, you must take the consequence. But come, I'll say not another word about it until you are rested. Maggie has the loveliest surprise for dessert."

John had just finished the surprise when the doorbell rang. Maggie showed the man into the little room where John sometimes smoked and wrote, and John held Stanton Wilson's card in his hand when he entered the room. He had known Wilson at college. Their paths had crossed more than once since, but the men had never been friends.

"You are surprised," Wilson said, coming forward, "and I beg your pardon for the intrusion."

"Not at all, not at all," said John. His offer of a chair seemed to escape Wilson.

"I felt as though I must see you," began Wilson, "and I didn't wish to go to your office. I wanted to see you here and tell you what you've done for me."

Falton looked at him inquiringly. "I—what have I done?"

"Your story—you know. I read it last night and I didn't attempt to go to bed. I just thought of things all night."

"My story!" gasped John. Then he added in rebellion: "Patience, man, but you're a lawyer."

"Yes—I know that I am a lawyer, but what difference does it make what a man is doing, if he's on the crooked. Of course, I know you didn't have me in mind—probably had no one in mind, but something in that story was like a mirror to me. I've never realized what I was coming to before. You've stopped me just in time. Now, I've only time to shake your hand, if you will let me, and catch the train to the city."

Falton laughed lightly, but he squared his shoulders. "You're putting it too strong, Wilson," he said, as he held out his hand. "Your debt to me, if there was one, is paid. If you really mean that I've made clear to you truths vague before, why, you've more than balanced our account. You've given me faith in myself."

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DEMOCRATS AT WASHINGTON AGAINST SHOTGUN PLATFORM

Was Read to Empty Benches and Only a Few Delegates Knew Its Contents When Voting.

Washington, July 8.—Rebellion on account of W. J. Bryan's "shotgun platform," adopted at Baltimore, has broken out among Democratic senators and representatives in Congress.

The circumstances surrounding the writing and adoption of the platform at Baltimore show the farcical nature of such proceedings in a national convention. It was brought into the convention at midnight of the closing session and was read to a large array of empty benches. Those who remained were so sleepy and tired that they paid no attention to it. The platform was so long that it had to be read in three relays.

Senator Kern, chairman of the resolutions committee, started to read it, but played out physically before he had got one-third of the way through and other readers had to be called to his assistance. The droning voices of the readers could not be heard ten feet from the platform.

When Ollie James, permanent chairman, put the question on the adoption of the platform there was a chorus of viva voce votes and the platform was declared adopted without calling for the yeas. Outside of a limited number of the members of the resolutions committee the delegates were blissfully ignorant of what they were voting on.

They knew so little about it that if Senator Kern had suddenly substituted the platform of the recent Chicago convention and moved its adoption, it would have been adopted with the same unanimity as was the platform drafted by Mr. Bryan.

Now that Democratic senators and representatives and other party leaders have had time to read the platform and study its provisions they are finding much in it to criticize. It is a striking example of the "shotgun" variety of platform pronouncements.

For the benefit of the uninitiated, whose ears are not attuned to the political parlance of the day, it may be explained that a "shotgun" platform, so called, is one that is specially and artfully prepared with a design of throwing sop to various classes of voters with a view to securing their support for the ticket.

It was anticipated, prior to the Baltimore convention, that William J. Bryan would try to dictate the platform and that he would insist on a "shotgun" production, built after the general style of the platforms which he had written for the party in the past. Democratic leaders of the Senate and House made a bold resolution that for once Bryan should not have his way in the writing of a platform, but their courage oozed away at their finger tips when Bryan loomed up at Baltimore as the master of the situation and lord of all he surveyed.

Their gloominess turned into a perfect blue funk when Alton B. Parker moved that Bryan be made chairman of the resolutions committee and empowered to write the platform. The commoner declined the chairmanship of the committee, which was bestowed on Senator Kern, but he did write the platform and from the first to the last word it is distinctly Bryanesque.

Some of the provisions of the platform which are provoking the fire of criticism from Democratic leaders are the following:

1. For government aid in building roads in the various states.
2. For a parcels post.
3. For a postal express.
4. The proposed plan of "rural credits" or "agricultural finance."
5. Federal appropriations for vocational training and agricultural instruction in the several states.
6. The plan for the selection of national committeemen at primaries.

The platform is glaringly inconsistent in one respect. It denounces "as usurpation the efforts of our opponents to deprive the states of any of the rights reserved to them, and to enlarge and magnify by indirection the power of the Federal government."

While making this bid for the support of the states' rights advocates, the platform probably contains more schemes for projecting the Federal power and influence into the states than any other Democratic platform ever written. The proposals that the Federal government shall build roads in the states; that it shall establish or maintain institutions for vocational and agricultural instruction; that it shall instruct the states how they shall select national committeemen, etc., are all of this character.

It is perfectly evident, from numerous expressions heard in Washington, that while the Baltimore platform may serve "to get in on" there will be a considerable element of members of the House and Senate of the Democratic persuasion who will not stand on it after they get into office. One Indiana representative, who forbade the use of his name, is serving notice

on his associates that he will not vote to carry out several of the platform declarations if he is re-elected.

"I do not believe," said he, "that it is a proper function of the Federal government to go into the roadbuilding business and I am unalterably opposed to the parcels post and the postal express. I would not vote for any of these provisions if they are pledged in a dozen national platforms of my party."

"The platform adopted at Baltimore is not an expression of the party's judgment. It is drafted by one man and adopted by the convention without knowledge of its contents, at a time when half of the seats were empty and when those who were present were too tired to know their own names."

"The adoption of a platform under such circumstances is a rich farce and it is folly to say that such a platform indexes the opinions and wishes of the party. I do not intend to raise a disturbance about it, but when it comes time to vote, I will vote my sentiments."

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Jack Beatty of Cortland has purchased an Oakland 40 touring car of Frank Stinson.

Peter Trueblood, father of Mrs. Isaac Burrell of this city, is seriously ill at his home in Brownstown.

Frank Hopewell went to Indianapolis Sunday evening to accept a position as traveling salesman for the American Tobacco Company.

The Seymour Epworth League will meet the Columbus League at Mineral Springs Tuesday evening for a picnic supper. The members will leave here on the four and five o'clock cars.

C. E. T. Dobbins is remodeling his building on Indianapolis Ave., north of the New Lynn. The building was formerly used as a sample room for the New Lynn, but Mr. Dobbins has repaired it and it will be rented for business purposes.

Chas. Rust and Will Robertson of Honeytown were in Seymour this morning arranging for the Honeytown picnic which will be held Saturday, August 3. This is one of the largest and best known picnics in the county and always attracts large crowds.

Mrs. Mary Shuster of Columbus, O., is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. William Ahlert. This evening she will go to Surprise for a visit with Frank Heiman and family. Mrs. Shuster is returning from Chicago where the Columbus Choral Society of which she is a member took a prize for singing.

To Bar Dances at Ball.

New York.—Having received a tip from Mrs. E. H. Harriman and other wealthy patronesses the junior "prom" committee at Columbia has barred the "Turkey Trot" and the "College Boogie" from the annual ball.

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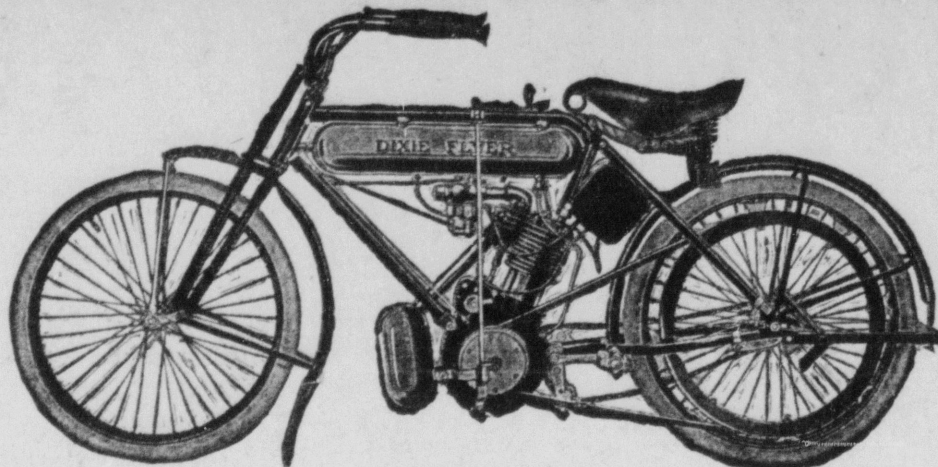
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A Charming Story Splendidly Told



THE LAST

Maybe first, nothing certain. Many a slip twixt the Cup and the Lip. If you are not a Dixie Flyer Motor-cycle Contestant become one at once. As all it requires is for you to do your best, trust your luck, the results may surprise you.

We are issuing trading cards good for trade at any time at our store. By selling these to your friends or your family you can increase your standing by 6,000 votes for every \$1.00 trading card and 30,000 votes for every \$5.00 trading card sold. Then we have coupons that will also help increase your votes.

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING FOR SALE, TO RENT, HELP WANTED, ETC

WANTED:—Two neat appearing ladies. Call Tuesday between 12-1 o'clock. New Commercial Hotel. A. L. Harris.

FOR SALE OR TRADE:—For good Jersey or Shorthorn cows, one four-year-old filly city broke; one two-year-old colt; one stallion—all high bred; one rubber tired buggy, full leather top, nearly as good as new. Earle V. Clow, 1/2 mile south of city. j9d-11w

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Old papers, good for a score of uses about the house, for sale cheap, at the Republican office. d&w-tf

Seymour Temperatures.

The following are the maximum and minimum temperatures as shown by the government thermometers at the Seymour volunteer weather observation station and reported by J. Robt. Blair, observer. The figures are for twenty-four hours ending at noon:

	Max.	Min.
July 8, 1912.	88	68

Weather Indications.

Showers tonight or Tuesday.

MARRIED.

SCHULTHEIS-HARRISON.

A romance, dating from the Fourth of July celebration at the city park, culminated Saturday afternoon when George Schultheis and Mrs. Amanda J. Harrison, both of this city, were married at Brownstown by Justice of Peace, William Tuell.

The bride and groom participated in the Fourth of July celebration and met on the dancing pavillion. Cupid got busy at once and he aimed his arrows so accurately that the acquaintance resulted in love at first sight.

The couple drove to Brownstown, secured their marriage license and were married before returning to this city. They will reside here.

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice at Seymour, Indiana, and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office:

MEN.
Mr. John Davis.
J. D. Ingram.
Ed. Owens.
Mr. Ross Sutton.

Monday, June 8, 1912.
EDWARD A. REMY, P. M.

Ed Stanfield and family drove over to Bloomington in their machine Sunday to visit their daughter, Miss Alice, who is attending the University there. While coming down a hill returning home, the machine "skidded" off the road and went into a ditch. No one was injured, and other than bending a fender no damage was done to the automobile.



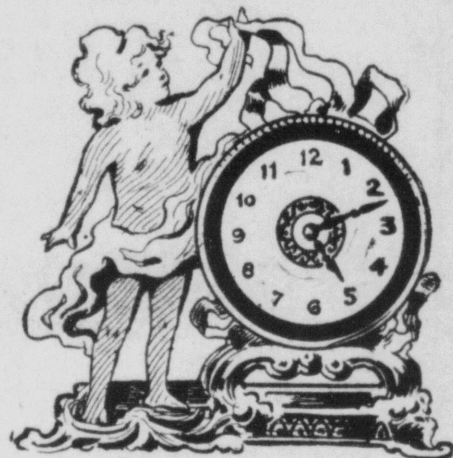
Before Going Away

on your vacation, you may have a pair of shoes or two that need repairing. Attention paid to this part of your dress is just as essential to being well groomed as any other. We are especially particular with dress shoes. You will be as well pleased with their looks as when the day you bought them.

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